



## A MERRY CHRISTMAS TO ONE AND ALL!



### Personal and Local.

Miss Margaret Allan, who is attending Normal in Calgary, arrived home last week to spend the holidays with her parents in Coleman.

On Xmas Day there will be Holy Communion Services at St. Alban's Church at 8 and 10 a. m. At the latter service Christmas hymns will be sung and an address given by the Priest-in-charge.

Miss Adella Whiteside, who is attending a young ladies school at Vernon, B. C., arrived home on Sunday last to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. E. S. Whiteside.

The Hanna, Alta., Herald, takes the prize this year for issuing the finest Christmas number in the province. The issue consists of 24 pages printed on book paper in green ink, and the literary and mechanical work is per excellence. Editor McGee and the people of Hanna have every reason to feel proud of this special number.

Miss May Muir, a Coleman Normalite, arrived home last week to spend the holidays with her parents here.

On Saturday evening last St. Alban's Parish Hall was the scene of a very jolly party, when Brownies, to the number of about twenty, spent a couple of pleasant hours in games, refreshments, etc. Special prizes were awarded Miss Helen Cornett, Miss Nora McLeod and Miss Alberta Phillips for doing the best work during the year, while each girl present received a very appropriate Christmas gift.

Miss G. MacKay, of the Central school staff, is under the doctor's care this week.

On Monday evening, December 28th, the local Masons are giving another of their popular dances. Owing to installation of officers taking place the same evening, dancing will not commence until 10 p. m. All Masons, their families and members of the Eastern Star 2nd families are cordially invited.

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Mrs. W. L. Rippon, 3rd street, is confined to her home owing to illness this week.

In order to put a little more money in the pockets of their employees at this particular season, the McGillivray Creek Coal & Coke Co., and International Coal & Coke Co., are paying on Thursday of this week instead of Saturday. This thoughtfulness on the part of these companies will, no doubt, be appreciated by their employees.

Miss Flora Cameron, daughter of Mr. A. E. Cameron, arrived in Coleman Monday on a visit to her father.

Mr. F. Antrobus, Jr., arrived home Sunday last from Edmonton, where he is attending the University, to spend the Christmas holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. A. Trobus.

### Mail Wanted

A general house-maid wanted. Apply to Mrs. J. A. McLeod, Park Terrace, Coleman.

### The Season's Greetings

Another Christmas, another opportunity to forget business and approach our friends and neighbors in a sincere spirit of fellowship and with expressions of seasonable good wishes.

THE JOURNAL takes this opportunity to wish its readers and advertisers a joyous and happy Christmas, and also that the prosperity and well-being of Coleman and its citizens will be better than ever during 1926.

### MARRIED SCOTT-HOWARD.

Miss Eleanor H. Howard, of Springhill, Nova Scotia, and Mr. Charles Scott, of Seattle, Wash., were united in matrimony on Tuesday evening, Dec. 22nd.

The wedding took place at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. G. Hall, Carbonate. Only the relatives of the bride and bridegroom and Rev. and Mrs. D. K. Allan were present at the ceremony which was performed by the Rev. D. K. Allan. The bride, wearing a dress of ivory velvet and carrying a beautiful bridal bouquet of opelia pink roses and lilies of the valley, took her place beside the waiting bridegroom. She was led to the altar leaning on her uncle's arm, Mr. W. E. G. Hall.

After the ceremony a dainty wedding supper was served. The toasts for the occasion were given and responded to by Mr. James Scott, father of the bridegroom, making a most appropriate and fine speech.

The bride was the recipient of many handsome and useful gifts. The happy couple left on the evening train for Vancouver via Calgary and from there will proceed to their future home in Seattle, Wash.

Tuesday morning's passenger was three hours late in reaching Coleman.

### Old Time Resident Meets Untimely End

A very bad fatal accident occurred shortly after 2 o'clock on Monday afternoon at the McGillivray mine, resulting in the death at the local hospital at 7 p. m. of the same day, of one of the most highly respected miners and old time residents of Coleman in the person of Mr. Joseph Burns.

The deceased was working in the pillars on No. 2 level and was in the act of placing a prop to support the roof, when a large section of rock became dislodged and in falling struck the unfortunate man, inflicting such grievous injuries that he lived but a few hours afterwards.

The late Mr. Burns was in his fifty eighth year and came to Coleman over fifteen years ago, and during his long residence brought a host of friends, who together with his two sons, Mr. T. Burns, of Coleman, Mr. John Burns, of Coutts, Alberta, and one daughter Mrs. Isaac James, Coleman, and his widow, will deeply mourn his untimely passing, and have the heartfelt sympathy of the entire community in their severe trial.

Tuesday afternoon Coroner Alex. M. Morrison empaneled the following jury: James Ford, foreman, W. Richardson, C. S. Oumette, G. Ledue, Major Hyslop, Jesse L. Miller, who after viewing the body and visiting the scene of the accident brought in the following verdict:—

"We, the jury, find that Joseph Burns, came to his death at the McGillivray Creek Coal & Coke Company's mine at Coleman, Alberta, in No. 82 pillar, No. 2 level, by a fall of rock on the 21st day of December, 1925, at 2:15 p. m., and no blame is attached to any person."

The funeral will take place from the family residence at 2 p. m. on Saturday, December 26th.

Mrs. Agnes Menzies, of Lethbridge, Alberta, arrived in Coleman Friday last, and is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Allan.

### U.C. Sunday School Tree and Concert.

The United Church was packed on Tuesday evening to hear the scholars in their Christmas entertainment and the kiddies were there in hundreds to see Santa Claus and to do their part on the program.

The Christmas Tree becomes a greater attraction each year. The youngsters certainly rose to the occasion and the applause that greeted their recitations, songs, sketches, etc., was sufficient reward for the little folks. Two of the little performers Jimmy Allan and Gordon Graham, made a most favorable debut.

Mr. Fairhurst, the Superintendent of the Sunday School, presided and welcomed everyone to the annual treat. The singing by the Fair Rogers and Beayer groups was good. The sketch "The Hour of the Fairies" perhaps was the hit of the evening. Miss Antrobus excels in training young children and they certainly carried out the theme delightfully.

Little Margaret Roughhead led the fairies in fine fashion and for a little lot of her age, won the hearts of the audience. The "Sick Doll" was well acted, as were all the items by the little folks. The singing by the young girls was very sweet and true, and greatly enjoyed. Indeed it is almost folly to pick out one or two for everyone made the program the best yet.

The bigger boys were represented by Mac Hall and Fraser McLeod in a scene from David Copperfield. It provoked much laughter and the boys played the parts well.

The C. G. I. girls—Junior and Senior, staged the pageant "Wonder Night." They did it well and portrayed the nativity scene in vivid fashion. It was greatly appreciated by all.

Of course the event of the evening was the coming of Santa, and how the kiddies enjoyed the tingle of his bells, and when he arrived with his smiling face and big pack—bigger than usual—they shouted their delight.

The Sunday School has grown so much—173 were present on Sunday last—that more gifts had to be distributed this year than ever before.

And how the youngsters enjoyed getting them. It made the bigger folks glad to see the kiddies so happy.

### A Merry Christmas To Every Citizen of Coleman

I wish you to be happy, present and future, with a most happy Christmas Day. This means that you put all the good you can into it, and that you will realize your own happiness in proportion to the happiness you give to others.

W. J. BURNS,  
Mayor

### Price Reductions on Season Skating Tickets

At a meeting of the directors of the Coleman Crystal Rink on Tuesday night it was decided to reduce the price on children's season skating tickets. The rink is a community affair and they want to give every school child an opportunity to skate. The price is within everyone's reach now so buy the boys and girls a ticket. Skating is expected to start before next week is over. Afternoon skating hours have been made from 4 to 6 and every chance will be given for the little ones to skate.

Season Tickets	
Afternoon Ticket only	\$1.00
All School Children	\$2.00
Ladies Tickets	\$4.00
Gents Tickets	\$5.00
Family Tickets	\$9.00

Any school child can buy an afternoon ticket but no skating will be allowed at night with them and no boy or girl under 10 years of age will be allowed on the ice at night.

Those who have purchased tickets at the former price may secure a rebate by applying to the Princess selling same.

Buy your tickets now and boost for your queen.

tributed this year than ever before. And how the youngsters enjoyed getting them. It made the bigger folks glad to see the kiddies so happy.

### Martin Stasel Crushed To Death in Local Mine

A fatal accident occurred on Saturday last in the McGillivray mine, when Martin Stasel, aged 30 years, was caught between a coal car and timbering in the mine.

The injured man was immediately removed to the hospital but passed away in a few hours. Deceased was a native of Czechoslovakia and was a widower with three children residing in the old country. He had only been in Coleman a little over eight months.

Coroner Alex. M. Morrison, empaneled the following jury Monday: J. L. Lounsbury, foreman, A. N. O'Neill, J. A. McDonald, John Bell, J. M. Rishon and W. Wright, who viewed the scene of accident and body and brought in the following verdict:—

"We, the jury, empaneled to enquire into the death of Martin

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### Personal and Local.

On Sunday next, at St. Alban's Church, the Children of the Church will sing carols at the evening service.

Don't forget the big novelty dance in the Opera House on Thursday, Dec. 31st, given under the auspices of the I. O. O. F. and Rebekah lodges.

Mr. W. Gates suffered painful injuries to his back and legs in an accident at the International mine on Monday morning. He was taken to the hospital and received medical attention and will likely be around again in a few days.

Mrs. Chas. Gorenmann, of Clough, Wash., writing to The Journal last week, wishes to extend the Season's Greetings to all old friends in Coleman.

Mr. Charles Scott, of Seattle, Wash., arrived in Coleman on Friday last, and left again on Tuesday evenings train with his bride for Seattle where Mr. and Mrs. Scott will make their home.

The Children of the Church at St. Alban's Church had a Christmas party with "Santa" and Tree. Mrs. Burrows trained the children for the excellent program.

Some boys broke into the Arena building last Sunday and did considerable damage, resulting in delaying for making operations for a couple of days. The police are endeavoring to locate the culprits, and if caught, they will be severely dealt with.

Efforts to locate the whereabouts of Mr. Roy Hogarth, who disappeared from his home in Coleman over a week ago, have so far proved unavailing. Fear is expressed that he has done away with himself.

Mr. T. Parry, who is attending the Alberta University at Edmonton, is home to spend the Christmas holidays with his parents in Coleman.

Mr. Norman Williams and Mr. Martin Lewis, who have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Rola Evans for the past six weeks, left Monday for their home at Spokane.

The Rebekeah whist drive on Saturday last drew a large number of festive fans who greatly enjoyed the event. The prize winners were:—Mrs. Geo. Dixon, turkey; Mrs. Roy Hart, chicken; Miss May Moores, consolation; Mr. Penny, turkey; Mr. R. Jones, chicken; Mr. Dem Drey, consolation.

Miss Gladys Lees, who is attending business college at Lethbridge, is home for the Christmas holidays.

Weather conditions at this writing indicate a green Christmas in this section of Alberta. No snow and the thermometer registering spring like temperatures, a mild breeze from the West, leaves no hope for real Christmas weather on Friday.

Miss E. Tenney, stenographer in the International Coal Company's office, left Wednesday night for her home at Warner, Alta.

Miss Hilda Houghton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Houghton, who has just completed a course in drama-making at Calgary, arrived Thursday to spend the Christmas holidays with her parents in Coleman.



### Santa Arrives in Alberta!

Peace River, Alta.  
"Hello, Coleman! Here I am in Alberta at last and only a few days journey from Coleman now. I am glad to hear that you have had snow at last and that the ice will be in shape for Friday. The reindeers do not make nearly such good time over the roads with wheels on the sleigh, but you should see how fast they can go over the snow and ice with the runners on. We are making good time and nothing can stop us now from arriving in Coleman on Friday afternoon and we will be sure to arrive in the Arena not later than five minutes to two. I want all the boys and girls to be there, but if any of you know of any little boy or girl who is sick I want you to let Mr. Graham know so that I can send one of my Eskimos with their present. Now, Boys and Girls, be good and go to bed early on Thursday night so that you will be up in lots of time to be in the Arena before two o'clock."

Did you hear that message over the radio to-day night? Last night we heard from him again, and he said he was near Edmonton but was not going to stop there very long, as he is really anxious to get to Coleman and he has many miles to travel from Edmonton here.

We almost forgot to tell you that his "Eskos" are so excited that at times we could hardly hear him talk as they were making so much noise. They wanted to start broadcasting over his radio, but Santa said he had promised the boys and girls of Coleman that they would hear the first, to hear them, and the ESKOs are sure you never heard of Santa Claus breaking a promise.

Now, Boys and Girls, be sure and be on time on Friday and give Santa Claus the greatest cheer you have ever given anybody. Now then, altogether, HIP, HIP, HURRAH!

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## The Old Year and the New

Canadians can look back over 1925 with a considerable degree of satisfaction, and forward to the new year with hope and confidence.

The old year witnessed a gradual but steady improvement in conditions throughout the Dominion, an improvement which more pronounced following the Western harvest. There has been an all-round betterment in business, with a marked lessening in unemployment, while prices for the primary products of the country have remained firm, thus assuring a fair return to the producers for their labor.

The export trade of the Dominion has mounted higher and higher, bringing money into the country and sending the Canadian dollar to a premium in the world's money markets. The increased buying power of the people has been reflected in a speeding up of industry at home and in increased purchases from abroad.

Our great railway systems, which faced a serious drop in business in the earlier months of the year as a result of the smaller crop of 1924, more than made up their losses in the latter half of the year and at the close of 1925 are able to present a better balance sheet than a year ago.

The need for economy stressed during the difficult period through which Canada in common with most countries has been passing, revivified greater care in administration by municipalities, as well as by all large commercial concerns, and today the whole financial fabric is healthier and stronger than for some years. The feeling is now, that although there must be no orgy of spending and no extravagances, the way is open to important developments which were quite inadvisable during the years which have elapsed since the close of the war.

Canada was fortunate, too, that throughout 1925 the country was free from any great calamities or epidemics. Industrial peace prevailed except in the coal mining districts, and before the year drew to a close the trouble in the Nova Scotia area was ended, and it is confidently expected that a permanent and satisfactory settlement of long standing disputes there will be reached.

Canada's prosperity depends not only on the energy and progressiveness of its own people, but, as a great exporting country, upon the peace, progress and prosperity of the whole world. The old year witnessed substantial progress in the direction of removing old feelings of bitterness and suspicion in Europe, and the reaching of guaranteed among the Great Powers calculated to maintain peace in the future.

As the year was closing a note of optimism was sounded at the annual meetings of the Banks, by the heads of our great transportation systems, and by the manufacturing and wholesale and retail world. All are agreed that by the peak of the era of depression has been passed, and that the outlook for the new year is bright with promise.

With the outbreak of the Great War in 1914 immigration to Canada came abruptly to a stop. While the war was in progress the movement was toward Europe, and with the ending of the grim struggle came a period of readjustment. Canada's biggest task was to reabsorb its hundreds of thousands of soldiers back into civilian life and find suitable and remunerative employment for them—a gigantic task in view of the industrial chaos and unrest existing throughout the world, and the loss of jobs for the most of all nations. With the coming year, however, it is confidently expected that once again the tide of immigration will flow strongly toward Canada. The Dominion Government and railway and steamship companies are getting ready to take full advantage of this movement.

Canada's great natural asset is man. A large population is an essential requirement to the development of our national resources, the settlement of our vacant lands, the provision of adequate traffic for our railways, and the paying off of our national debt. The probabilities are that 1926 will witness the beginning of the fulfillment of our national desire for years past, and large advance continuance of income and permanent settlers. They will come to work and establish homes for themselves and their children, and their coming will mean work and prosperity for those who are already here. Canadians can bid the old year farewell knowing it served them well, but they can look forward with even greater satisfaction to 1926 as holding promise of still greater achievement and better things.

## No Bi-Lingualism in Turkey

Natives to be Fined For Speaking Any Language But Turkish

If a bill just introduced in the Turkish assembly is adopted, any Turk speaking any language but Turkish will be fined from two to 20 dollars for each offence. The bill makes it compulsory to speak only Turkish, but applies only to Turkish citizens.

The object is to prevent Turks of Greek, Armenian or Jewish-Spanish origin from constituting themselves into communities apart from the national life and culture.

The finance commission, which has been examining proposed new taxes,

## PIMPLES ON FACE AND HEAD

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## Trade In Silver Foxes

France Imports a Large Quantity For Breeding Purposes

One thousand, nine hundred and ninety-two silver foxes, representing over half a million dollars' worth, passed through Montreal recently. Many of the animals were consigned to France where they are expected to be used for breeding purposes.

To handle this huge amount of animals, over 560 crates were necessary and were put in special steel cages. One car load, containing 128 foxes, were consigned to Domonge, France, and were from Manitoba.

## Has Won His Promotion

Services of Vice-Admiral Sir Lionel Halsey Have Been Recognized. Vice-Admiral Sir Lionel Halsey, who has had conferred on him a Grand Cross of the Order of St. Michael and St. George, has well won promotion in an order which specially recognizes services rendered overseas. As commander and treasurer to the Prince of Wales for the last five years, Sir Lionel has accompanied the heir-apparent many thousands of miles over both sea and land. He cannot be considered to have ended those travels yet, for there are other parts of the vast continent of South America, than Argentina and Chile of very great importance to British trade, and especially Brazil, still to be visited. The time for another long tour by the Prince is not just yet, but it can be seen that certain that, if all goes well, it will come, and within the next 18 months or two years.

## Famous Waxworks For Sale

Hoped Purchaser Will Continue Madame Tussaud's Exhibition. The site, buildings and contents of Madame Tussaud's Waxworks Museum will be offered for sale shortly, and it is hoped the purchaser will continue the famous exhibition, which was considerably damaged by fire last March. Many figures are in perfect condition, the figures entirely. John Tussaud, descendant of the founder, is willing to remain at the museum in the service of the purchaser.

## A WOMAN'S WORK IS NEVER DONE

No Wonder Health Gives Out and She Becomes Weak and Despondent

It is literally true concerning woman in the home that her work is never done. She starts with housework when she rises in the morning and is kept busy up to the time she retires at night. The work must be done whether she is feeling well or not. It is no wonder that she often breaks down under the strain. She becomes nervous at slight exertion, feels exhausted if she walks a mile, has headaches and dizzy spells become frequent, and she loses her appetite. Much of this trouble is due to the fact that her blood has become thin, and to reach her good health she must take a reliable blood-enriching tonic. The great value of this medicine is shown by the statement of Mrs. Mary N. Williams of Sask. who says: "When I began taking Dr. Williams' Pink Pills I was a physical wreck. It was with great relief that I could do light housework. I suffered from headaches, my heart would beat violently at the least exertion, and I always felt tired and depressed. I did not sleep well at night, and I had no appetite—my limbs would swell as in dropsy. It was at this stage that a neighbor advised me to take Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. I had used the pills for some weeks before I began to feel their benefit, and then I continued taking them for several months, when I was again as strong and well as ever I had been. I have no hesitation in saying that these pills are a remarkable blood-builder and strength-renewer and I shall ever be grateful for what they did for me."

You can get these pills from your druggist, or by mail at 50 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brooklyn, U.S.A.

## Will Hold Joint Conference

Pools Dealing With Farm Produce Plan Meeting in Winnipeg

The three western wheat pools, through the joint central selling agency are planning to hold in Winnipeg, a joint conference of all the co-operative movements in America dealing in farm produce, with a representative of Australia and one or two from Great Britain's interests present. It had been intended to hold the conference Nov. 12, but the date did not give all concerned time to send representatives, and it was, therefore, necessary to postpone the event.

Corn is reaped by the pressure of tight lands, but no one can be troubled with them long when no simple remedy as Holloway's Corn Remedy is available.

## First Colony in Britain

Malden, in Essex County, England, is held to have been the first colony established in Britain by the Romans, who built there in 25 B.C. It was burnt by the British Queen Boadicea, and rebuilt by the Romans, and by the Danes A.D. 991, and rebuilt by the Saxons. It was incorporated during the reign of Queen Mary.

One of the commonest complaints of infants is worms, and the most effective application for them is Mother Gray's Worm Exterminator.

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## Getting Under the Thames

Huge Tunnel Is Being Bored Under Bed of River

Unknown to many Londoners who pass over the bridges of the Thames on their way to work each morning, a huge tunnel is being bored under the bed of the river. In a few weeks the final drilling will have been done, and a clear way from south to north established. After that, the tunnel will be to be lined, however, and this will not be finished until next year. No more than 27,000 tons of cast iron will be used in the lining process. Boring operations have been carried on from both sides of the river, and the greatest care and accuracy is required to "link up" properly. The object of the excavation is to link the Kensington underground railway to that at Charing Cross.

Miller's Worm Powders will clear the stomach and bowels of worms, so that the child will no more be troubled by their ravages. The powders are sweet to the taste and no child will object to taking them. They are non-injurious in their composition, and while in some cases they may cause vomiting, that must not be taken as a sign that they are misbehaving, but as an indication of their effective work.

## Flour For Japan

In Canada with the avowed purpose of buying 150,000 tons of wheat for the Meiji Flour Mills and Mitsui Grain Company of Tokyo, two representatives of these companies conferred with Winnipeg grain dealers recently. They estimated that there was a possibility of establishing branch offices in Vancouver, where the agents do most of their buying.

## Minard's Liniment for bruises

### A Better Atmosphere

Just because it is colder out of doors, don't neglect to ventilate each room in your house every day for at least a little while. It means a sweeter atmosphere in the home and the fresh air will heat much more quickly than stale.

## Will Help Fight Tuberculosis

Canadian Red Cross Donates \$5,000 to Carry on Work

The central council of the Canadian Red Cross Society at Toronto voted \$5,000 to the Canadian Tuberculosis Association to continue the demonstrations being carried on to determine the best means of eradicating tuberculosis.

Following a discussion on the finances of the society, it was decided that in view of the heavy demand on resources of the organization, owing to expansion of activities, a national appeal should be made for funds.

In connection with the report of the Junior Red Cross, it was agreed that this branch of the organization's activity had brought a new influence into the schoolroom.

The report showed a total of 3,906 branches with 102,243 members.

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## Another Famous Painting Found

Ruben's "St. Theresa" Has Been Discovered After 250 Years

A painting of St. Theresa, said to be a genuine Rubens, has been discovered by Dr. Ludwig Burchard, art critic and an expert on the paintings of Rubens. The work was executed in Antwerp, he says, shortly after Ruben's return from Rome, where a beaification of St. Theresa, who was called "the Spanish mystic," was celebrated in 1614.

At the end of the seventeenth century this painting was in the Schwarzenberg collection in Vienna. For more than 200 years the picture was supposed to be lost, but a short time ago Dr. Burchard discovered it in a private collection which he has not named in giving an account of the discovery.

## Praise For Saskatchewan

In the pictorial supplement to "The World's Health," a monthly review of the League of Red Cross Societies, edited in Paris, France, appears a picture of the Saskatchewan Red Cross stamp among emblems of Red Cross work in other nations, specially picked for the purpose of illustrating commendable efforts of propaganda bearing the Red Cross emblem.

## The Baby's Cold

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## To Change Name

Citizens of North Battleford By Vote Decide to Change Name of City

At the municipal elections, citizens of North Battleford endorsed the by-law providing for a change in the name of the city by a majority of 300. Eight hundred and 50 taxpayers voted on the matter and of these 560 were in favor of the change.

Some time ago a movement was set afoot here to have the name changed as it appeared to be too closely allied to Battleford. The main reason advanced was that a great deal of trouble rose over mail being directed to North Battleford and should have gone to Old Battleford and vice versa.

A committee set to work to find the feelings of the citizens on the matter and the result was the request for the submission of a bylaw.

No plan have as yet been put forward for the choosing of a name.

## Grow Sugar Beets

All sugar beets grown in the Brooks Alta. district during the past season have been dug out of the ground and shipped to the new sugar beet factory at Raymond. Enough has been learned in the past two years to state definitely that the experiment has proven a decided success and that sugar beets can be raised here at a profit.

Rudolf Kruby, the Hartford "king of beggars," can ask for alms in ten languages. Arraigned in court recently for fighting, he said: "I would rather earn my bread honestly by begging than become a burglar."

## COUGHING!

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### THE HOME STORE MERCHANT

Some people get the idea that there is a lot of profiteering in retail trade. If these folks only realized the true condition of affairs, they would realize the retail stores are doing business on a smaller margin of profit than ever before. The higher range of prices prevailing since the war has stimulated competition and has forced retail trade to remodel its system of operation and make every possible improvement and economy in its methods. The stores are saving a margin for the public as the result of improved distribution methods.

Merchants today are putting more brains into their work than ever before. They get better expert advice, they understand markets better, they train their help to render better service.

The best way to make the people realize the fine quality of the service they get from their stores is by consistent advertising of these stores. As they read the newspaper advertising people learn about special chances to buy goods which they would not have known about had it not been for these notices.

They learn that stores are carrying lines that they knew nothing about. They get information warning them of conditions that tend toward higher prices, and showing them how they can save money by prompt purchasing. They find out that their home merchants have been scouring the country to pick up the best merchandise available. They discover that their home stores are working with all their might to provide the necessities and conveniences of life at the lowest possible price consistent with substantial merit. The advertised store is the appreciated store.

### SELLING A HAMMER

When one considers the poor salesmanship of many store clerks, it is really a wonder that some of them ever sell anything. In fact, many sales are made not because of the clerk but in spite of him. A story told in a recent issue of a trade journal illustrates the point.

A customer went into a hardware store and asked to be shown a good hammer. "That's a fine hammer," the clerk continued. "That's a real hammer. We sell lots of them." After another pause he resumed: "That's a mighty fine hammer; a real hammer. You'll like it. We sell lots of them."

The customer wasn't convinced, so he looked up a mail order book and found an attractive picture of a hammer, with the following description:

"This hammer is made of the best crucible steel, full nickle plated. The face and the claws are tempered just right for service and the claws are split to a fine point. They grip firmly and will not break. The handle is made of selected second growth hickory, mahogany finish, and is fastened in with wire wedges, so that it will not work loose."

So he bought the mail order hammer.

The merchant who reads this might profitably investigate the line of selling talk his clerks use. He would also do well to keep this story in mind when writing up his advertisements.

—Ex.

Canadian farmers are being cheated with neglecting their farms for golf. That's one game the Government can't help them win.

An honest confession is good for the soul; but an honest soul seldom need make any confessions.

Life's funny: do you remember that you thought you were old 10 years ago?

Love's labor lost: getting baby a battle when he wanted a harp.

Business opportunity: sell electric toasters—quick turnover.

Resolved, that New Year's resolutions are not very resolute.

A resourceful man is like a triangle: he will try any angle.

Life is just trying one tooth paste after another.

### THE MAIL BAG

Coleman, Alta.  
21st, Dec. 1925.

The Editor,  
The Coleman Journal,  
Coleman, Alta.

Dear Sir:

From time to time, in various daily papers, I notice Mr. R. J. Dinning of the Liquor Control Board, quoted to the effect, that it is the probable intention of the Board to assume the control of the distribution of beer in all but the four principal cities of the Province, i.e., Edmonton, Calgary, Lethbridge and Medicine Hat.

Just why Mr. Dinning should propose the abolishment of the brewery warehouses, which are unquestionably a convenience to the purchasing public, he fails to say. The delivery system maintained by the various brewery warehouses at present, in so far as the towns of the Crow's Nest Pass are concerned, is prompt and efficient, and I very much doubt if the Government could or would maintain as an efficient service. In fact it would be a distinct and an agreeable surprise, to a long suffering public, to see

the present Provincial Government make a success of any undertaking. The agents of the various breweries will also call for and pay cash for the empty bottles, whereas in the case of purchasing from the Vendor, it is extremely probable that the empties would accumulate in back-yards and alleys and become one more of the various and long standing nuisances, that the present Provincial Government have foisted upon the people of this particular section.

I also believe that the proposed change would materially increase the price of beer to the consumer, as witness the prices of various brands of liquor in our own Government Vendor Stores in comparison with the list of prices of the Government Vendors in the Province of British Columbia, and there is no doubt whatever but that it would increase the temptation to bootleg.

Furthermore in the towns having no Government Vendor, the proposed change would be a standing invitation to hotel keepers to sell beer by the bottle, or the case for that matter, after closing hours.

Of course the proposed change, if put into effect, would prove a distinct boon to the hotel-keepers, as any inefficiency in the delivery system, would naturally react to the benefit of the cash registers in the beer parlors and possibly also to the financial benefit of that justly famous institution in Blairmore, irrefragably referred to as the "Irish Inn."

Of the number of men, who would be thrown out of employment by the proposed change, of the capital invested in equipment by the various brewery agents, I have no comment to make, but I do wonder if Mr. Dinning has given this phase of the matter any consideration.

In conclusion, I would respectfully suggest to Mr. Dinning, that he allow the Liquor Act to remain as it is at present and that he use his influence with the present Provincial Government to have them undertake the undertaking of having the various members of the Government re-elected, which should prove an undertaking requiring the services of an undertaker, and I have no doubt that the public will willingly contribute to the burial expenses.

Thanking you Mr. Editor, for encroaching upon your valuable space, I remain,

Yours truly,  
Pro Househead Publico.

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### The Question Is

Have you paid your Subscription to The Coleman Journal for 1925? A prompt renewal will be appreciated. Thank you.

### Dr. McConaghy DENTIST

Quinette Block Main Street

R. F. BARNES  
Barrister and Solicitor  
Phone 305 Coleman, Alberta

Alex M. Morrison  
Notary Conveyancer  
Fire, Life & Accident Insurance

### East Coleman Property Owners Given Clear Title

People wishing to purchase Lots in East Coleman will be given a Clear Title to their Property upon payment of same.

W. A. BEEBE,  
Blairmore.

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Sentinel Lodge  
No. 25  
Met every second and fourth Thursday at 7 p. m.  
Visiting Brethren Welcome  
Hall is available for rent with exceptions of 2nd and 4th Wednesday and Thursday of each month.

### General Draying and Teaming

Fire Wood for sale  
Planté & Antel

### IF YOU WANT

Firewood, Logs or Blocks, Minn Props, Radio Poles, Fence Posts, Fence Rails, Cribbing Poles, Poles for Log Houses, Barns, Stables, Chicken Houses, etc.

SEE  
A. E. KNOWLES  
Residence next to C.P.R. Depot.

### FRED ANTROBUS SHOE STORE

We have a nice stock of Men's, Women's and Children's Slippers on hand suitable for XMAS GIFTS

### The Coleman Lumber Yard

Give us a chance to solve your building problems! We will submit to you lowest prices on anything that you may wish to erect.

Nothing too Big! Nothing too Small!  
We now have a large stock of Rough and Dressed Lumber, Sash and Doors, Cement, Brick, Lime, Plaster, Shingles, Laths, etc., etc.

Compare our Prices. Compare our Stock.

J. S. D'APPOLONIA  
Contractor and Builder  
Plans and Specifications Furnished  
PHONE 259 COLEMAN

### SUMMIT LODGE

No. 30, A. F. & A. M.

Regular meetings held first Thursday of each month, at 8 p.m.  
Visiting Brethren cordially invited  
M. W. Cooke, W.M.  
W. Br. Lake Lindsay Secretary

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As snowy mountains, you sports of your own more in a few hours you may be mountains on the North Shore largest arena on a great sheet

Is this Western city famous. Temperature is 43.6 degrees—only

is you with its kinds of ships, as boat to palaces of sailormen, tongues.

FREE book (fully supply in form, lands, or needs local agent)

VANCOUVER BUREAU W. Vancouver, B. C.

### The Wines of Sunny Italy



CLARET (Grignolino)	—	75
SAUTERNE (Castel Byria)	—	\$1.00
BURGUNDY (Barbera Amabile)	—	\$1.25
BURGUNDY, Sparkling (Gran Neborolo Calissano)	—	\$2.15
MUSCATEL (Calissano)	—	\$1.35
VERMOUTH, Italian (Calissano)	—	\$1.50
PORT (Calissano)	—	\$1.50
CHAMPAGNE—Duo d'Alba	—	\$2.15
CLARET (Grignolino) in gallon jars	—	\$3.00
BURGUNDY (Barbera Amabile) in gallon jars	—	\$4.45

PLEASEING WINES OF UNEXCELLED QUALITY

On sale at all Government Vendors

LUIGI CALISSANO & FIGLI  
Alba, Italy

## CALISSANO WINES

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# CRUSHED TO DEATH

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Stasel, find that he came to his death by being jammed between a coal car and a high side timber at No. 73 chute at the McGillivray mine on Dec. 19th, 1925, on or about 1 p. m., while in the performance of his duty, and that no blame is attached to anyone. We recommend that motormen should stay with their motor while on the main track."

The funeral took place Tuesday afternoon, services being held at the Holy Ghost Church, Rev. Father McCormick officiating, and was largely attended by miners. Interment taking place in the local cemetery.

Fred Lees, Coleman's well-known distance runner, is taking part in the Herald road race at Calgary tomorrow. Best wishes Freddie!

## Fall Term Exams. Coleman High School

(continued from last week)

### French I.

Raymond Spillers 94, Helen Churla 90, Angus Cameron 87, Alice Sapeta 85, Phyllis Foster 85, Fraser McLeod 85, Megan Jones 84, Oliver Harrington 83, Mac Hall 82, Mary Pisony 81, Frances Armstrong 79, Gladys Higginbotham 78, Grace McKinnon 78, Ella Celi 77, Erva Barr 74, Hugh Dunlop 74, Annie Kohout 75, Catherine Davidson 72, Gladys Neilson 78, Ida Thom 71, Violet Davies 71, Anna Hall 70, Marjorie Groat 70, Tony Nicholas 68, May Moore 69, Audrey Ash 65, Marion Burrill 69, James Kilgannon 60, Joe Janotak 55, Veiko Lihja 53, Idris Hayson 52, John Kuhn

51, Mary Hyslop 51, May Armstrong 44, Leslie Emmerson 40, Sadie Wood 38, Jean Pattinson 30, Edward Wood 27. Class average 67%.

### History I.

Margaret Price 90, Raymond Spillers 88, Gladys Higginbotham 85, Robert Wilson 84, Megan Jones 84, Angus Cameron 82, Joe Janotak 82, Alice Sapeta 80, Grace McKinnon 78, Anna Hall 73, Ida Thom 72, Idris Hayson 72, Hugh Dunlop 72, Sadie Wood 72, Katherine Wilson 71, Mary Hyslop 71, Rayson Hague 71, Helen Churla 69, Agnes Kohout 67, Constance Hope 66, Ella Celi 66, Jean Pattinson 65, Everett Price 63, James Kilgannon 60, Edward Wood 60, Audrey Ash 60, Annie Kohout 58, Catherine Davidson 56, Frances Armstrong 52, Marjorie Groat 51, Marion Burrill 46, Phyllis Foster 30, May Armstrong 38, Violet Davies 34. Class average 66%.

### Algebra I B.

Mary Hyslop 90, May Moore 88, Gladys Higginbotham 93, Erva Barr 93, Helen Churla 90, Mary Pisony 87, Alice Sapeta 86, Marjorie Groat 86, Joe Janotak 83, Raymond Spillers 82, Robert Wilson 83, Tony Nicholas 80, Megan Jones 79, James Kilgannon 79, Audrey Ash 77, Grace McKinnon 76, Hugh Dunlop 69, Violet Davies 68, Ella Celi

67, Annie Kohout 62, Jean Pattinson 60, Mary Armstrong 56, Gladys Neilson 52, Frances Armstrong 48, Ida Thom 46, Idris Hayson 41, Edward Wood 39, Sadie Wood 25, Marion Burrill 25. Class average 69 5/8%.

### Geometry I B.

Helen Churla 90, Robt. Wilson 90, Megan Jones 88, Grace McKinnon 88, Mary Hyslop 87, May Moore 87, James Kilgannon 79, Ida Thom 78, Gladys Higginbotham 74, Anna Hall 72, Marion Burrill 68, Angus Cameron 68, Marjorie Groat 64, Frances Armstrong 63, Hugh Dunlop 68, Alice Sapeta 58, Joe Janotak 57, Raymond Spillers 54, Annie Kohout 53, Tony Nicholas 51, Jean Pattinson 44, Violet Davies 41, Ella Celi 40, May Armstrong 39, Audrey Ash 31, Idris Hayson 30, Edward Wood 35, Sadie Wood 13. Class average 60%.

### General Science

Helen Churla 83, Hugh Dunlop 78, Angus Cameron 70, Ida Thom 67, Anna Hall 64, Grace McKinnon 62, Gladys Higginbotham 62, James Kilgannon 60, Marjorie Groat 59, Idris Hayson 59, Joe Janotak 58, Ella Celi 58, Mary Hyslop 56, Sadie Wood 56, Jean Pattinson 55, Tony Nicholas 54, Megan Jones 49, Edward Wood 49, Violet Davies 48, Audrey Ash 47,

Alice Sapeta 43, Raymond Spillers 42, Marion Burrill 40, May Armstrong 35, Frances Armstrong 35, Annie Kohout 39. Class average 54.3%.

## K. Pee's Concert In Aid Of Swimming Pool Funds

Below will be found the complete program arranged for the big "Community Night Concert" given under the auspices of Coleman Lodge Knights of Pythias on Saturday evening of this week in their hall, in aid of swimming pool funds. Both the program and the cause are worthy and should merit the support of the entire community:

Opening song, O. Canada  
Song, Mr. Wm. Smith  
Song, Mr. A. Phillips, Mrs. E. Phillips.  
Song, Mr. H. Chamberlain.  
Duet, Mr. and Mrs. E. Young.  
Humorous Sketch, (One Man)  
Song, Mr. F. Smith.  
Duet, comic, LaDe Bros.  
Club Singing, Mrs. A. E. Knowles  
Selection by the Glee Club.  
Violin Selection, Mr. S. White.  
(Broken Melody)  
Song, Mrs. F. Jackson.  
Comic Patter, Mr. Parkinson.

Duet, LaDe Bros.  
Lantern Slides, Carols, for intervals  
Sacred Solo, Mr. H. Chamberlain  
Glee Club, Carol.  
Recitation, Mr. Snowdon (Christmas Day in the Workhouse)  
Sacred Solo, M. A. Phillips.  
Recitation, Mrs. A. E. Knowles, (The Road To Heaven)  
Sacred Solo, Mr. W. Hayson  
Tableau, (Changed Cross)  
Accompanist, Miss Hayson.

## Fourteen Singers—Every Singer a Real Soloist.

There are fourteen singers under the direction of Professor Tom Morgan with the Rhonda Singers coming to Coleman on New Year's night. Their program includes part songs, quartets, duets and solos, and every item is executed with rare technique. Every singer is a soloist of merit.

## REWARD

\$10.00 Reward will be paid to anyone giving information that will lead to the conviction of the boys that broke into the rink on Sunday, December 20th.  
Coleman Crystal Rink Ltd.

### other establishments.

In future all those guilty of holdups and thefts with violence in the city of Montreal will be punished with the lash as well as a prison sentence, declared Chief Justice Deneau in the Court of Session.

Residents of Berlin, Germany, danced to Pittsburgh jazz recently. This was the first attempt to re-broadcast American wireless offerings by way of Daventry, England, on a wave length of 1,600 metres.

It cost the provincial government \$18,712 to fight forest fires in British Columbia this year, according to official figures released by Chief Forester P. Z. Caverhill. This is by far the largest amount ever expended by the government on this account.

The Star's Dublin correspondent says the Irish Free State Air Force contemplates a flight to the United States about next April. A seaplane with two officers will start from Crossmore Bay, Galway and the destination of the flight will be New York.

Speeding automobiles in Montreal paid \$12,811.55 for the closure of

exception. If anything went wrong with the meal-mill the apron was donned and the defect attended to. The welfare of a whole district might have depended on this job being done time. In some districts, notably Farnham, the servant was usually forbidden from his master during the week of Christmas Day, and went about the country visiting his friends and acquaintances.

### Symbolism Of Twelfth Day

Marks End of Christmas Revels According to British Custom.  
Twelfth Day, according to British custom marks the end of the Christmas revels. Then the holy and mistic should be removed from the wall. Twelfth Day has been observed as a special festival ever since the days of Alfred the Great. "In whose reign law was made with relation to holy days, by virtue of which the twelve days after the Nativity of our Saviour, were made festivals." It was during the reigns of Elizabeth and James that the observance of this day reached its zenith in the middle of 1600.

Wishing all our Customers  
and Friends the  
Compliments  
of the  
Season

H. C. McBURNEY

Druggist and Stationer

Coleman, Alberta

At the time of the armistice in 1918 the Jewish population of Palestine was estimated at 55,000. This has now increased to 125,000. Against this Jewish element the Arabs in Palestine number something like 645,000. The Jewish population, however, is rapidly establishing its life in all of the branches of commerce, industry, agriculture and finance in the little state.

### Contributes Her Share

From a young and sparsely settled country Canada contributes a fair share to the wealth of the world. She produces 88 per cent. of its asbestos, 85 per cent. of its nickel, 32 per cent. of its pulpwood, 20 per cent. of its lumber, 20 per cent. of its timber, 20 per cent. of its cured fish, 18 per cent. of its oats, 15 per cent. of its potatoes, 11 1/2 per cent. of its wheat, 11 per cent. of its barley.—Vancouver Province.

### Remove Ugly Signs

A new law goes into effect in Tennessee December 14, when all signs and billboards along state highways must be removed, otherwise the highway department will wreck them. Tennesseans are about to see what their state looks like from the road.—Detroit Free Press.

Alcohol production from the sap of the Nipa palm in North Borneo has possibilities of supplying the tropics with a motor fuel.

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clative welcome-back to England, was honored with knighthood.

The Locarno pact, for the work which the British and French statesmen are to be honored by the Nobel prize committee, is without doubt the outstanding peace achievement of the present year. It promises much to Europe, and the nations entering into it seem to feel more buoyant and secure as a result of it.—Regina Leader

### Radio For Country Schools

Australia has hit upon the ideal radio to keep isolated country schools abreast with current thought. In fact, all the schools there are reported to be deriving considerable benefit from a series of educational programmes broadcast for the special benefit of school children. Almost every conceivable subject is taken up.

Though it has 235,000 inhabitants, Vellore, India, has no electric lights.

### Answer to Last Week's Puzzle

PRIVATE CABBING  
A FIFES ARABIA  
RD SEPTEMBER 3  
AIM AIR EON SP  
PRAD DA OR OTI  
GEE GEE  
GEE GEE  
Y AERO  
PORTEND SILEN  
T TON  
BEND MS HA OGL  
GAD KIP HRE SI  
IN INTERESTS A  
WESNER  
GLOATED SNAPP

# Santa Driving to Coleman!



The above picture has been sent to The Journal by the Elks showing Santa driving his team of reindeer from Edmonton on his way to Coleman.